



NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY
EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

AF/GA/B 1724 \$
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In re Application of: AKIHIRO NAGATA ET AL

Serial No.: 09/008,675

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR TREATING A POWER TRANSMISSION
BELT/BELT SLEEVE

Filed: January 16, 1998

Group Art Unit: 1724

To Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated
January 18, 2000 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-10, 13-17, 21-26.

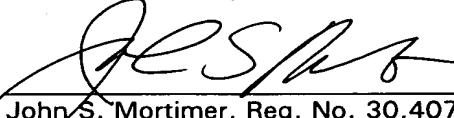
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The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. A petition for an extension of time to respond to the final rejection is attached.
2. A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
3. Fee \$300.00 \$150.00 (if small entity)
 Enclosed
 Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
 Charge to Deposit Account No. 23-0785 (One additional copy of this Notice enclosed herewith)

Signature (Rule 191(b)).


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